

PUBLIC SERVICE COMMISSION OF SOUTH CAROLINA

DOCKETING DEPARTMENT

NOTICE OF FILING

DOCKET NO. 2007-234-W/S

Timothy P. Oliver ("Applicant"), pursuant to 26 S.C. Code Ann. Regs. 103-500 and 103-700, has filed with the Public Service Commission of South Carolina ("the Commission") an Application seeking approval of the Consolidation of Utility Systems, an "Umbrella" Bond and Conforming Rates for Customers in Wyboo Pointe and Haynesworth Mill.

The Applicant owns and operates the following utility systems: E&R Partnership (Lake Marion Shores); E&R Partnership (Gin Pond Shores); E&R Partnership (Haynesworth Mill); Sigfield Water Company, Inc. (pending Commission approval in Docket No. 2007-107-W); Wyboo Water Department, Inc.; and Goat Island Water & Sewer Co., Inc. (hereinafter, "Consolidated Systems"). Upon approval, the Consolidated Systems will be operated as business divisions of Goat Island Water & Sewer Co., Inc.

The Applicant seeks approval, *Nunc Pro Tunc*, from the Commission for conforming rates for customers in Wyboo Pointe and Haynesworth Mill. According to the Application, the Applicant is presently serving customers in an area known as, "Wyboo Pointe." Water customers of Wyboo Pointe are presently being charged \$12 per month for the provision of water services. The Applicant is also presently serving customers in an area known as "Haynesworth Mill" and is charging these customers \$19 a month for water.

Additionally, in satisfaction of an "umbrella" bond for the Consolidated Systems, the Application reveals that the Applicant seeks approval from the Commission to provide a current and acceptable financial statement to satisfy the requirements of 26 S.C. Code Ann. Regs. 103-512.3.3 and 103-712.3.3. Further, the Applicant requests a single Certificate of Public Convenience and Necessity for the Consolidated Systems under the rubric of Goat Island Water & Sewer Co., Inc. To obtain a single Certificate of Public Convenience and Necessity, the Applicant requests that the Commission issue, modify, conform, or transfer present Certificates of Public Convenience and Necessity for the Consolidated Systems.

A copy of the Application can be obtained from the Commission at the following address: Public Service Commission of South Carolina, Docketing Department, 101 Executive Center Drive, Columbia, South Carolina 29210. Additionally, the Application is available on the Commission's website at www.psc.sc.gov, and is available from William F. Austin, Esquire and Richard L. Whitt, Esquire, Austin, Lewis & Rogers, P.A., 508 Hampton Street, Suite 300, Columbia, South Carolina 29201.

A public hearing, if scheduled, will be held in Columbia, South Carolina, in the offices of the Commission at the above address, for the purpose of receiving testimony and other evidence from all interested parties regarding this Application. The time and date of this hearing will be furnished to all interested parties at a later date.

Any person who wishes to participate in this matter, as a party of record with the right of cross-examination, should file a Petition to Intervene in accordance with the Commission's Rules of Practice and Procedure on or before **August 3, 2007**, and indicate the amount of time required for his presentation. Please include an email address for receipt of future Commission correspondence in the Petition to Intervene. ***Please refer to Docket No. 2007-234-W/S.***

Any person who wishes to testify and present evidence at the hearing, if scheduled, should notify the Docketing Department in writing at the address below, the Office of Regulatory Staff, at Post Office Box 11263, Columbia, South Carolina 29211 and William F. Austin, Esquire, and Richard L. Whitt, Esquire, at the above address, on or before **August 3, 2007**, and indicate the amount of time required for his presentation. ***Please refer to Docket No. 2007-234-W/S.***

Any person who wishes to be notified of the hearing, but does not wish to present testimony or be a party of record, may do so by notifying the Docketing Department in writing at the address below on or before **August 3, 2007**. ***Please refer to Docket No. 2007-234-W/S.***

PLEASE TAKE NOTICE: Any person who wishes to have his or her comments considered as part of the official record of this proceeding **MUST** present such comments, in person, to the Commission during the hearing.

Persons seeking information about the Commission's Procedures should contact the Commission at (803) 896-5100.

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